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RESPONSE

In response to the action mailed July 25, 2002, please amend the application as follows:

In the specification:

Please replace the title at beginning at page 1, line 1 with the following:

-- Method of Manufacturing Multiple Semiconductor Chips from a Single Wafer --

In the claims:

Please cancel claims 9 to 16.

Please amend claims 1 and 6 as follows:

-- 1. (Amended) A method for manufacturing a semiconductor device comprising:

fixing semiconductor chips onto a substrate;

covering the semiconductor chips fixed onto the substrate with a common resin layer;

gluing an adhesive sheet onto the resin layer;

cutting the substrate and the resin layer in a state that the adhesive sheet is glued to the resin layer; and

measuring the semiconductor devices in a state that the adhesive sheet is glued to the resin layer.

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